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| In re Application of         | : |             |
| Chiang, et al.               | : |             |
| Application No. 10/713,029   | : | ON PETITION |
| Filed: November 17, 2003     | : |             |
| Attorney Docket No. 4504-095 | : |             |

This is a decision on the petition to withdraw the holding of abandonment under 37 CFR 1.181, filed November 25, 2008.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

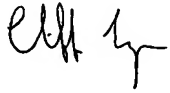
This application was held abandoned for failure to timely file a response to the non-final Office action mailed April 23, 2007. This Office action set a shortened statutory period for reply of three (3) months. No reply having been received, the application became abandoned on July 24, 2007. The Office mailed a Notice of Abandonment on April 4, 2008.

It is obvious from reviewing the file that the Office action was mailed to the incorrect address. The Office action should have been addressed to the address set forth in the Power of Attorney filed on February 12, 2007.

In view thereof, **THE HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT IS WITHDRAWN.**

The matter is being forwarded to Group Art Unit 1638 for re-mailing of the April 23, 2007 Office action, setting a new period for reply.

Telephone inquiries regarding this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571)272-3207.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Cliff Congo", with a stylized flourish at the end.

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